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: LOW PROFILE TOUCH FASTENER

MAIL STOP AF

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated July 31, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-3, 5-20, 22-37 and 39-57.

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